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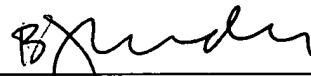
Responsive to Ms. Nelson's request to the undersigned on October 31, 2002, attached a copy of the computer readable form of the Sequence Listing filed February 9, 2001. Evidence of receipt by the Patent Office of the original copy of the CRF of the Sequence Listing was submitted with the applicants' Response of October 23, 2002 and a further copy of the same should not be required. The Office is requested to contact the undersigned in the event anything further is required.

An early and favorable Action on the merits of the claimed invention is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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